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Miss Gandy	✓

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11:53 PM 5-19-70 URGENT JWD

TO DIRECTOR *Stag*
FROM JACKSON (157-12233) (P)

DISTURBANCES AND DEMONSTRATIONS VICINITY JACKSON STATE
COLLEGE, JACKSON, MISS., COMMENCING MAY THIRTEEN, SEVENTY.

RACIAL MATTER
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STUDENT AGITATION
RACIAL SITUATION:

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M. B. PIERCE, CHIEF OF DETECTIVES, JACKSON, MISS., PD,
ADVISED A.M., MAY NINETEEN, SEVENTY, NO INCIDENTS, ARRESTS,
OR DISTURBANCES VICINITY JACKSON STATE COLLEGE (JSC), DURING
PREVIOUS EVENING.

CHIEF PIERCE FURTHER ADVISED ON THE AFTERNOON OF MAY
NINETEEN, SEVENTY, THAT ABOUT *22* PERCENT OF NEGRO STUDENTS
AT VARIOUS HIGH SCHOOLS AND JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS, JACKSON
AREA, BOYCOTTED CLASSES TODAY AS CONTINUED PROTEST OVER
SHOOTINGS.

CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, RELIABLE IN PAST, ADVISED THAT
UNDER THE SPONSORSHIP OF THE NAACP, LEAFLETING AND PICKETING

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AT THE MAIN SHOPPING CENTERS AND DOWNTOWN AREA OF JACKSON TOOK PLACE TODAY TO FURTHER PROTEST SHOOTINGS; GROUP OF SIXTY NEGRO PICKETS, HIGH SCHOOL AGE, PICKETED IN FRONT OF GOVERNOR'S MANSION IN DOWNTOWN JACKSON FROM ELEVEN TO ELEVEN THIRTY A.M., TODAY, WITHOUT INCIDENT.

THROUGHOUT THE DAY, CROWDS OF HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE AGE NEGROES CONGREGATED AT DIFFERENT TIMES IN THE VICINITY OF ALEXANDER HALL AND PERIODICALLY CONDUCTED SHORT MARCHES IN THE LYNCH STREET AREA, CONSISTING OF ABOUT ONE HUNDRED MARCHERS EACH.

b7c [REDACTED] JACKSON, MISS., PD, ADVISED NO ARRESTS OR INCIDENTS IN CONNECTION WITH PICKETING, LEAFLETING, AND SHORT MARCHES NEAR LYNCH STREET TODAY.

A SECOND CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, RELIABLE IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT JSC SENIORS DECIDED TODAY THAT THEY MIGHT BOYCOTT ENTIRE JSC GRADUATION EXERCISES SET FOR SUNDAY, MAY TWENTY FOUR, SEVENTY; AT A MINIMUM, ANY SENIORS WHO DO ATTEND, WILL

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WEAR RED ARMBANDS TO FURTHER PROTEST SHOOTINGS; ANTICIPATES
NUMEROUS JSC STUDENTS WILL START RETURNING TO JACKSON, MAY
TWENTY, SEVENTY, IN ANTICIPATION OF FORTHCOMING FUNERAL AND
GRADUATION EXERCISES.

CHIEF PIERCE, JACKSON PD, ADVISED TODAY SEVERAL WHITE-
OWNED BUSINESSES VICINITY JSC AND IN SOME OTHER WHITE SHOPPING
CENTERS IN JACKSON RECEIVED ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE THREATS TODAY
INDICATING POSSIBLE ACTS OF VANDALISM OR VIOLENCE COULD OCCUR
TO THEIR BUSINESSES IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS; POLICE HAVE NO
SUSPECTS.

THE FIRST SOURCE PREVIOUSLY MENTIONED ADVISED TEN
NEGRO STUDENTS FROM HOWARD UNIVERSITY, WASHINGTON, D.C.,
PRESENT IN THE JSC VICINITY, WITH THE MAJORITY HAVING ARRIVED
AT JACKSON BY AIR TODAY.

ONE NATIONAL NEWS REPORT MAY EIGHTEEN, SEVENTY, INDICATED
THAT NUMEROUS NEGROES IN JACKSON HAVE PURCHASED FIREARMS
SINCE DATE OF JSC SHOOTINGS; CONTACT TODAY BY BUAGENTS WITH
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THE ELEVEN MAIN GUN DEALERS IN JACKSON AREA DETERMINED THAT ONLY TWO OF THESE, BOTH DISCOUNT GUN SALES STORES, HAVE HAD ANY INCREASE IN GUN SALES IN PAST WEEK, AND THE INCREASE HAS NOT BEEN ESPECIALLY HIGH, WITH MOST PURCHASES BEING SMALL CALIBER HANDGUNS; ONE OF THESE DISCOUNT STORES IS ABOUT ONE MILE FROM THE JSC AREA AND IT IS NOTED THAT SALES HAVE BEEN TO BOTH WHITE AND BLACK PATRONS; WHERE INCREASE IN GUN SALES OCCURRED, CORRESPONDING INCREASE IN AMMUNITION SALES WAS ALSO PRESENT.

PROMINENT VISITORS TO JACKSON.

b7c [REDACTED] JACKSON PD, ADVISED U. S. SENATOR, EDWARD W. BROOKE, FROM MASS., ARRIVED AT JACKSON TODAY IN NATIONAL GUARD AIRPLANE AT ABOUT THREE P.M.; HE TOURED JSC CAMPUS, ACCOMPANIED BY DR. JOHN A. PEOPLES, JR., PRESIDENT, JSC; AND CHARLES EVERS, NATIONALLY KNOWN CIVIL RIGHTS FIGURE, WHO IS CURRENTLY MAYOR OF FAYETTE, MISS., WHILE ON CAMPUS SPOKE WITH JSC STUDENT LEADERS, TOURED SHOOTING SITE AND THEN TRAVELED DISTANCE OF
P.C.
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A FEW BLOCKS TO RESIDENCE OF PARENTS OF JAMES EARL GREEN,
KILLED IN JSC SHOOTINGS. SENATOR BROOKE DEPARTED JACKSON BY AIR ON
THE EVENING OF MAY NINETEEN, SEVENTY, WITHOUT INCIDENT.

THE FIRST SOURCE PREVIOUSLY MENTIONED ADVISED THAT
CHARLES EVERS TODAY ANNOUNCED THAT U. S. CONGRESSMAN,
ADAM CLAYTON POWELL, OF NEW YORK, WILL VISIT JACKSON MAY
TWENTY, SEVENTY. D.C. MISS.

CHIEF PIERCE, JACKSON PD, ADVISED THAT A GROUP OF
ABOUT SIXTY CONGRESSMEN AND ENTERTAINERS FROM THROUGHOUT
THE UNITED STATES IS EXPECTED TO BE IN JACKSON ON FRIDAY,
MAY TWENTY TWO, SEVENTY, TO ATTEND THE FUNERAL OF JAMES EARL
GREEN. AMONG THOSE SCHEDULED TO ATTEND ARE MICHIGAN SENATOR
PHILLIP A. HART, MAINE SENATOR EDMUND S. MUSKIE, HAWAII
SENATOR DANIEL K. INOUE, MICHIGAN CONGRESSMAN CHARLES
C. DIGGS, JR. CHIEF PIERCE ADVISED THAT INDIANA SENATOR BIRCH
BAYH AND NAACP NATIONAL DIRECTOR ROY WILKINS WILL ARRIVE JACKSON
A.M., MAY TWENTY, SEVENTY; NY CONGRESSMAN ALLARD K. LOWENSTEIN
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TO ARRIVE JACKSON EVENING MAY NINETEEN, SEVENTY. 14

FIRST SOURCE PREVIOUSLY MENTIONED ADVISED THAT THE FUNERAL OF GREEN SCHEDULED FOR TWO P.M., FRIDAY, AT THE NEGRO MASONIC TEMPLE, LYNCH STREET, JACKSON, A FEW BLOCKS FROM THE JSC CAMPUS; BURIAL OF JAMES EARL GREEN WILL BE AT THE WILLOW PARK CEMETERY FIVE BLOCKS FROM JACKSON STATE COLLEGE.

TRAVEL OF JSC PRESIDENT TO WHITE HOUSE:

DR. PEOPLES, PRESIDENT, JSC, ADVISED MAY NINETEEN, SEVENTY, THAT HE WILL GATHER WITH OTHER PRESIDENTS OF PREDOMINANTLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES TO MEET WITH PRESIDENT NIXON TEN THIRTY A.M., MAY TWENTY, SEVENTY, AT NORTHWEST GATE, WHITE HOUSE. STATED PRESIDENT NIXON, UPON REQUEST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR EQUAL OPPORTUNITY OF HIGHER EDUCATION, HAS GRANTED APPEARANCES OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THIS GROUP FOR EXECUTIVE MEETING EVENING MAY NINETEEN, SEVENTY, IN WASHINGTON, D.C., AND MEETING WITH THE COLLEGE PRESIDENTS, A.M., MAY TWENTY, SEVENTY, FOR PURPOSE OF DISCUSSING RACIAL SITUATIONS ON CAMPUSES OF PREDOMINANTLY

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (25-567054)
FROM : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (25-38895) (P)
SUBJECT: [REDACTED]
Draft Card Burning and Protest
Demonstration, Independence Hall,
Philadelphia, Pa., 10/16/67
SSA, 1948
SEDITION - CONSPIRACY
(OO: PH)

DATE: 9/13/68

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Enclosed for the information of the Bureau are two copies of a list of names and organizations compiled by the [REDACTED], from various items of literature obtained from the Philadelphia Anti Draft Union Office, 1515 South Street, Philadelphia, Pa. [REDACTED] early in April 1968, [REDACTED] thereafter the Philadelphia Anti Draft Union had vacated the premises.

The enclosed list was furnished by [REDACTED]

Philadelphia is merely furnishing the enclosed to the Bureau for information and indexing purposes, and in view of the lapse of time between the securing of this material by the [REDACTED] and the furnishing thereof to the FBI, Philadelphia is making no further dissemination thereof UACB. Philadelphia has made appropriate indexing of this list within its division.

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3 Thomas Circle, N.W.
Washington, D. C.
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WILKINS, ROY
(Named in Workers World 5/9/68)

WEN MAGAZINE
5 Beekman Street
New York, N.Y. (10038)
212-227-0796

WOMEN STRIKE FOR PEACE
20 S. 12th Street
Philadelphia, Pa.
Lo4-5570

Date: 4/29/69

Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL - REGISTERED
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (173-New)

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECTS;
[REDACTED] COMPLAINANT
CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964

Re San Francisco teletype to the Bureau, dated 2/27/54

Enclosed for the Bureau are three copies of a letterhead memorandum which contains a letter written by [REDACTED] CECIL POOLE, United States Attorney, Northern District of California, San Francisco, California, dated April 23, 1969. This letter sets forth the details of the attack on his wife, [REDACTED] at California State College at Hayward, California, on April 22, 1969, by Unknown Subjects.

In this letter, [REDACTED] alleges a breach of his wife's civil rights "contrary to both the Public Accommodations Act and the Civil Rights Act."

In view of the fact that the Public Accommodations Section of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Public Facility Section under this same Act do not cover the above situation and it appears that this is a clear case of assault, San Francisco is taking no further action at this time, UACB.

One copy of the enclosed letterhead memorandum is being furnished to the United States Attorney at San Francisco.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
San Francisco, California

In Reply, Please Refer to
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April 29, 1969

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The following letter was received by the San Francisco Office of the FBI from CECIL POOLE, United States Attorney, Northern District of California, San Francisco, California, on April 28, 1969:

"April 23, 1969

"CECIL POOLE, Esquire
"U. S. Attorney
"Northern District of California
"Federal Office Building
"San Francisco, California

"Dear Mr. POOLE:

"Yesterday, my wife, [REDACTED] at the State College at Hayward, was savagely assaulted by black students, or ostensible students, in Meiklejohn Hall on the campus. She was on her way to an announced open meeting featuring ROY WILKINS of the NAACP. Unknown to her, the meeting had been taken over by members of the Black Students Union, who had thrown out white students and others. She entered, stood in the rear of the auditorium-sized classroom for a moment, letting her eyes adjust from the sunlight. A group of six or eight young blacks, pretty obviously there as a goon squad, crossed the rear of the room and told her to get out. She said that she was there for the meeting. Thereafter, and all within a few minutes, she was seized and punched, dragged stunned to the door, and thrown out bodily, leaving a trail of blood.

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"Her injuries include two black eyes, bruises and marks where she was held while being punched, four stitches to close the wound in her forehead, separation of the cartilage from the bone of her nose, small wounds where her glasses had been smashed to bits against her face, and glass particles in her right eye. She staggered to a room on the next floor, still bleeding copiously, where staff members gave her assistance and summoned the school doctor and nurse. After being worked over for fifteen or twenty minutes, she was able to make a telephone call to me, to get to the police station in Hayward, and thereafter to the Kaiser Hospital for further treatment.

"The college administration has directed Hayward police to stay off campus and has kept the campus security force, made up largely of untrained older men, small and under orders not to aid staff or faculty members attacked as my wife was. The campus is a no man's land, effectively beyond the control of civil authority.

"I should point out that both my wife and I are liberal Democrats, who have worked for minority rights for thirty years. The attack was unprovoked, without prelude, irrational, savage, nihilistic, and on a purely racist ground. The entire course of action was clearly a breach of her civil rights, contrary to both the Public Accommodations Act and the Civil Rights Act. I ask that you take action immediately, before the campus is overwhelmed. The time is Germany 1934.

"Respectfully yours,

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] California
State College at Hayward, California (CSCH), furnished the following
information on April 28, 1969:

ROY WILKINS, leader of the National Association For the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), was the main speaker at CSCH President's convocation held at CSCH on April 22, 1969.

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The following is WILKINS' itinerary for April 22, 1969, at CSCH:

10:30 a.m.	Arrival, Fine Arts Building Parking Lot area
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	President's convocation, Perstyle Music Building
12:10 p.m. - 12:40 p.m.	Press conference, Band Room, Music Building
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Luncheon, Faculty Dining Room, Second Floor of Cafeteria
2:15 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.	Informal meeting of Black Students Union (BSU) in Room 2064, Alexander Meiklejohn Hall
3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Informal question and answer period, Room 2064, Alexander Meiklejohn Hall

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[REDACTED] Hayward, California, who is conducting investigation along with [REDACTED] in an attempt to identify Unknown Subjects who committed battery on [REDACTED] on April 22, 1969, at CSCH, furnished the following information on April 28, 1969, which was obtained from [REDACTED] and interview with [REDACTED]

ROY WILKINS, leader of the NAACP, was a paid guest speaker at CSCH on April 22, 1969, with the approval of CSCH Administration. The CSCH BSU received approval under CSCH rules to reserve a room from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on April 22, 1969, at Alexander Meiklejohn Hall and only BSU members and their guests were permitted to attend. The purpose of this request was to permit the BSU to have a private audience with WILKINS. This audience was held as planned. [REDACTED] sometime during April 22, 1969, telephonically contacted [REDACTED] CSCH Art Department, who was handling some of WILKINS' appointments, and/or [REDACTED] and was advised by one or both of these individuals that WILKINS would hold a general assembly after 3:00 p.m. at Alexander Meiklejohn Hall. Based on this, [REDACTED] and some of her students walked into the above room two or three minutes after 3:00 p.m. at which time she

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was attacked by three or four unknown Negroes. The individuals who attacked her struck her in the face, driving her eyeglasses into her forehead and the bridge of her nose, necessitating four stitches to close the tear in the skin.

As early as the fall of 1963, autonomous Negro students' organizations were properly registered and recognized as student organization on campuses in the Northern California area. The purposes of the organizations were generally given at that time as follows: "To engage in study of Negro life and history, to foster the growth and dissemination of Negro cultural contributions and to engage in projects which the membership considers to be in the interest of the Negro community."

At the outset, the organizations appeared to be purely cultural. As militant Negroes became affiliated with the organizations, the names of the organizations were changed to Black Students Union (BSU) in about 1965.

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DATE *10-17-79*

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (61-3176)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (100-8261)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE
ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE
(NAACP)
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Enclosed for the Bureau are 11 copies of an LHM,
two copies each being disseminated for the Jackson, New York,
and Washington Field Offices for information. *u*

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Chicago, Illinois
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FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF
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FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF
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As a result of the above, the Chicago Chapter of the NAACP, described as very conservative in nature, is making an effort to mobilize as much support as possible to be used at the Jackson Convention. u

The source was unable to furnish any additional information along these lines at this time. u

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, JACKSON (157-11507)

NAACP STATE CONVENTION,
HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI
11/6-9/69

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are eleven
copies of LHM concerning captioned convention.Two copies of LHM are being furnished to
MIGp, Jackson, and one copy to Secret Service, Jackson,
OSI, Jackson, and USA, Jackson.Source referred to in LHM is [REDACTED], who furnished
information to SA [REDACTED]This matter is being closely followed and the
Bureau will be kept advised of developments.AGENCY: RAO ATT: ISD, RAO ATT: IDIU
ACSI, SEC SER, OSI

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BY: [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Jackson, Mississippi 39205

October 28, 1969

In Reply, Please Refer to
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NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE
ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE
STATE CONVENTION, HATTIESBURG,
MISSISSIPPI, NOVEMBER 6-9, 1969

On October 8, 1969, a source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised a representative of the FBI that the State Convention of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), State of Mississippi, would be held in Hattiesburg, Mississippi, on November 6-9, 1969.

b7D [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

The convention will open on the evening of November 6, 1969, with a meeting of delegates at the Community Center, Hattiesburg, Mississippi. The business meetings of the convention will be held at Ebenezer Baptist Church, 908 East 8th Street, Hattiesburg, Mississippi. In addition to the business meetings, source stated that the following events were scheduled:

A Freedom Fund Banquet will be held at the Holiday Inn South, Broadway Drive, Hattiesburg, at 8:00 p.m., November 7, 1969. Also on November 7, 1969, there are plans

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**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE
ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE
STATE CONVENTION, HATTIESBURG,
MISSISSIPPI, NOVEMBER 6-9, 1969**

to have a mass march with the delegates to the convention joining with the local people in their protest of grievances concerning police brutality and other matters. Source stated the time of this march has not been established but that it will either be at 10:00 a.m. or 6:00 p.m.

b1D [REDACTED]
understands that the following will probably appear:

(First Name Unknown) Greenberg, a Civil Rights Attorney employed by NAACP Legal Defense Fund;

Ruby Hurley, Regional Director, NAACP, Atlanta, Georgia;

William Seabram (Phonetic), U. S. Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.;

mess Roy Wilkins, National Director, NAACP;

Jerris Leonard, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, U. S. Department of Justice, Washington, D. C.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. E. S. Miller

FROM : T. J. Smith *TJS*

SUBJECT: JACK ANDERSON'S COLUMNS IN
"THE WASHINGTON POST,"
5/11/72, 5/12/72 AND 5/16/72

1 - Mr. A. Rosen
1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr

DATE: 5/22/72

1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop
1 - Mr. E. S. Miller
1 - Mr. F. W. Waikart
1 - Mr. C. W. Bates
1 - Mr. G. C. Moore
1 - Mr. T. J. Smith
1 - Mr. R. L. Shackelford
1 - Mr. C. P. Monroe

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SYNOPSIS: In response to inquiry by the Acting Director, research and analysis were conducted relating to FBI material mentioned in captioned columns. Bureau file numbers mentioned by Anderson, 5/11/72, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] We are checking possibility of Anderson's source being at The White House or Secret Service, through extremely discreet contacts at The White House.

ACTION: In response to the Acting Director's inquiry. Efforts are continuing to identify Anderson's source for FBI material through analysis of Anderson's columns, to attempt to isolate a single document or item which might pinpoint Anderson's source. Separate memorandum being prepared concerning column of 5/17/72.

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*Compromise of F.B.I. Documents
and Jack Anderson's Columns*

Memorandum to Mr. E. S. Miller
Re: Jack Anderson's Columns in
"The Washington Post," 5/11/72,
5/12/72 and 5/16/72

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Anderson's 5/16/72 column reported the FBI is "conducting systematic surveillance of black leaders." Besides the individuals already described and explained above, he refers to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Jesse Jackson, Roy Wilkins, Bayard Rustin, Roy Innis, Dick Gregory, Eartha Kitt, and Mr. and Mrs. Ossie Davis.

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. (100-106670). Because of communist influence of SCIC and King's reported close association with communists, investigation of him was conducted. The results were widely disseminated.

[REDACTED]

Roy Wilkins (62-78270). He has not been investigated by the FBI. Information he has furnished and from public sources has been accumulated. Upon request, information has been forwarded to The White House, State, Labor, Civil Service, USIA, the Department, and military intelligence.

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Black Activists Are FBI Targets

By Jack Anderson

The FBI is conducting systematic surveillance of black leaders, who are guilty of nothing more serious than excessive political rhetoric.

Millions of dollars have been invested in the FBI's investigation of "racial matters." But our study of the secret files indicates that the investigation has been heavily one-sided. Only the most extreme white racists have come under FBI scrutiny, but almost every prominent black leader in the country has an FBI dossier in his name. Even congressmen and Nixon-Agnew supporters, if they're black, are regarded with suspicion by the FBI.

The list of black "subversives" includes such apostles of non-violence as the late Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., his wife, Coretta Scott King; the Rev. Ralph David Abernathy; Jesse Jackson, the handsome young "country preacher" who recently started a self-help group in Chicago; Roy Wilkins, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP); and Bayard Rustin, director of the A. Philip Randolph Institute.

The FBI has even zeroed in on President Nixon's most articulate black supporter, former CORE director Floyd

McKissick Jr., whose political activities have been chronicled by the FBI in a fat file.

Now director of the new town of "Soul City," N.C., McKissick made headlines when he lambasted the Democratic Party for failing to deliver "on its promises." The Nixon administration, he said, has offered more than "just the rhetoric."

Like many a white politician, McKissick has jumped the political fence. For two years earlier, he had called Mr. Nixon "one of the nation's leading proponents of Law and Order — Fascist Style." McKissick's words were duly deposited in his bulging FBI dossier.

Secret Capitalist

Another entry, dated Jan. 13, 1970, is stamped "Secret—No Foreign Dissemination." One of the deep, dark secrets noted by FBI agent Thomas L. Beckwith was that McKissick "has made several speeches throughout the U.S. during 1969 wherein he advocated black capitalism..."

But far more grievous, McKissick, "in one speech stated the Black Panther Party should be supported."

FBI agents were also listening when McKissick at a black bash in Brooklyn "commented unfavorably on the fact that

this affair was held in a church, since churches are among groups infiltrated by the FBI and Central Intelligence Agency which hold the blacks down."

The federal sleuths have also been poking their noses into McKissick's financial affairs. States one entry:

"Floyd McKissick, it was learned, had recently received check Number 2666 made out in his name and drawn against the account of the Louis M. Rabinowitz Foundation, Inc., in the amount of \$2,500. This check was subsequently deposited to McKissick's account in the Freedom National Bank, Harlem, New York."

Mrs. King's Finances

The FBI has also been prying into Coretta Scott King's finances. When a documentary film about her late husband was appearing around the country, the top cops were busy counting receipts.

The movie's first run, says a confidential memo dated Aug. 5, 1970, "resulted in receipts in excess of \$2,000,000. By arrangements made prior to March 24, 1970, by Coretta Scott King and officials of the SCLC the receipts for this movie were to be divided equally between King and the SCLC."

The finances of Roy Innis,

successor to Floyd McKissick as chairman of CORE, have been meticulously catalogued, too. And Innis's file notes ominously that he has "attended marches to protest against the war in Vietnam..."

Ralph David Abernathy, successor to the martyred Dr. King, rates a file that would choke a hippopotamus. The FBI's investigators seem most intrigued over his troubles with his colleagues.

An FBI informant reported on March 8, 1970, for example that one colleague, Hosea Williams, "remarked to some associates he was rather concerned as to the cool and noticeably distant attitude recently displayed by... Abernathy."

Black artists, entertainers and sports figures, who speak up for their race, are also suspect. One of the thickest FBI files is devoted to former heavyweight champion Muhammad Ali. Actor singer Harry Belafonte and author James Baldwin are kept under surveillance, too.

The file on black comedian Dick Gregory could be measured by the pound. Author-actor-playwright Ossie Davis and his wife have been investigated numerous times. Singer Eartha Kitt is quoted as being opposed to statehood for Puerto Rico.

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In view of the above, the NYO feels that there is a tremendous opportunity to cause ROY WILKINS and the NAACP to attack [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] at this point. Authority is requested to anonymously call ROY WILKINS of the NAACP under the pretext of [REDACTED] WILKINS.

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Transmitted herewith to Bureau are five copies
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President, Black Academy of Arts and Letters (BAAL), 475 Riverside Drive, New York City, to the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice, described BAAL as a nonprofit, nonpolitical organization founded to provide recognition and encouragement and incentive for those who have made a notable contribution to the interpretation and projection of the "Black experience in America". Further, the letter stated that the First Annual Meeting of BAAL would be held September 18-20, 1970, at which one of the activities was to be the establishment of a Hall of Fame honoring certain deceased Americans whose contributions and interpretation of the "Black experience" are universally recognized. It was stated that among those who had been elected to the Hall of Fame was Doctor W.E.B. Du Bois, described as a historian and sociologist. It was also stated that Shirley Graham Du Bois had been invited to be present and to receive the citation honoring her late husband. The letter requested that reconsideration be given to the application for a visa of Mrs. Du Bois to the end that she would be able to receive the citation at the First Annual Meeting of BAAL.

~~The INS~~ File concerning Du Bois disclosed that sixteen members of the United States Congress had had an interest in the visa case of Du Bois.

The INS File also revealed that the following other interested parties had had an interest in the ~~the~~ consideration of Du Bois' visa case:

Roy Wilkins, Executive Director, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), New York City. *ny*

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The Special Agents interviewing Subject on 9/5/56 were [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

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The Salt Lake City Branch of the NAACP held its election, and Leon Ward was elected as an Executive Board member.
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[REDACTED] is still a member of the Salt Lake City, Utah, Branch of the NAACP, and at a recent National Convention of the NAACP it was stated that no member of the CP or other extremist group can be a member of the NAACP and [REDACTED] membership was discussed with Roy Wilkins, Executive Secretary, and other national officials and all agreed [REDACTED] should be suspended from the Salt Lake City Branch. It is noted [REDACTED] has some support from individuals such as [REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] was advised that the Utah Peace and Freedom Party (UPFP) was organized at Salt Lake City, Utah, on June 27, 1968. The purpose of the UPFP was stated to be to support the black liberation movement and to protest the United States action in Vietnam. [REDACTED] was instructed by the Chairman of the CP of Utah to attend

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E. Open Letter to Stokely Carmichael and Other Comments
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"The Black Panther" newspaper, issue of August 16, 1969, Page 5, contained an "Open Letter to Stokely Carmichael" from ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, Minister of Information, Black Panther Party, July, 1969. The letter indicates it is reprinted from Ramparts Magazine, and is as follows:

"Your letter of resignation as the Prime Minister of the Black Panther Party came, I think, about one year too late. As a matter of fact, since the day of your appointment to that position---February 17, 1968---events have proven that you were not cut out for the job in the first place. Even then it was clear that your position on coalition with revolutionary white organizations was in conflict with that of the Black Panther Party. But we thought that, in time, even you would be able to shake the SNCC paranoia about white control and get on with the business of building the type of revolutionary machinery that we need in the United States in order to unite all the revolutionary forces in the country to overthrow the system of Capitalism, Imperialism, and Racism.

"I know these terms are kicked around like lifeless bodies and that it is easy to allow the grisly realities behind them to become obscured by too frequent repetition. But when you see the squalor in which people live as a result of the policies of the exploiters, when you see the effects of exploitation on the emaciated bodies of little children, when you see the hunger and desperation, then these terms come alive in a new way. Since you've made this trip yourself and seen it all with your own eyes, you should know that suffering is color-blind, that the victims of Imperialism, Racism, Colonialism and Neo-colonialism come in all colors, and that they need a unity based on revolutionary principles rather than skin color.

"The other charges you make in your letter---about our new-found ideology, our dogmatism, our arm-twisting, etc.---seem to me to be of secondary importance, because, with the exception of the

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honorab~~le~~ Elijah Muhammad, you are the most dogmatic cat on the scene today, and I've never known you to be opposed to twisting arms or, for that matter, necks. In many ways your letter struck me as being an echo and rehash of the charges brought against the party by the bootlickers before the McClellan Committee. And since you chose this moment to denounce the party, we--and I am sure many other people outside the party---must look upon your letter in this light. The only point in your letter that I think is really you is the one about coalition with whites, because it has been this point on which our differences have turned from the very beginning.

"You have never been able to distinguish the history of the Black Panther Party from the history of the organization of which you were once the chairman---the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee. It is understandable that you can have such fears of black organizations being controlled, or partly controlled, by whites, because most of your fears in SNCC were spent under precisely those conditions. But the Black Panther Party has never been in that situation. Because we have never had to wrest control of our organization out of the hands of the whites, we have not been shackled with the type of paranoid fear that was developed by you cats in SNCC. Therefore we are able to sit down with whites and hammer out solutions to our common problems without trembling in our boots about whether or not we might get taken over in the process. It has always seemed to me that you belittle the intelligence of your black brothers and sisters when you constantly warn them that they had better beware of white folks. After all, you are not the only black person out of Babylon who has been victimized by white racism. But you sound as though you are scared of white people, as though you are still running away from the slave-catchers who will lay hands on your body and dump you in a bag.

"As a matter of fact, it has been precisely your nebulous enunciation of Black Power that has provided the power structure with its new weapon against our people. The Black Panther Party tried to give you a chance to rescue Black Power from the pigs who have seized upon it and turned it into the rationale for Black Capitalism. With James Farmer of the Nixon Administration to preside over the implementation of Black Capitalism under the slogan

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of Black Power, what value does that slogan now have to our people's struggle for liberation? Is denouncing the Black Panther Party the best you can do to combat this evil? I would think that your responsibility goes a little further than that. Even though you were right when you said that LBJ would never stand up and call for Black Power, Nixon has done so and he's bankrolling it with millions of dollars. So now your old Black Power buddies are cashing in on your slogan, in effect, your cry for Black Power has become the grease to ease the black bourgeoisie into the power structure.

"By giving you the position of Prime Minister of the Black Panther Party, we were trying to rescue you from the black bourgeoisie that had latched on to your coattails and was riding you like a mule. Now they have stolen your football and run away for a touchdown: six points for Richard Milhouse Nixon.

"In February, 1968, at the Free Huey Birthday Rally in Oakland, California, where you made your first public speech after returning to the United States from your triumphant tour of the revolutionary countries of the Third World, you took the occasion to denounce the coalition that the Black Panther Party had made with the white Peace and Freedom Party. What you called for instead was a Black United Front and would unite all the forces in the black community from left to right, close ranks against the whites, and all go skipping off to freedom. Within the ranks of your Black United Front you wanted to include the Cultural Nationalists, the Black Capitalists, and the Professional Uncle Toms, even though it was precisely these three groups who were working to murder your (obscene) even before it broke wind. (Remember what Ron Karenga did to your meeting in Los Angeles?)

"You had great dreams in those days, Stokely, and your visions, on the top side, were heroic. On the bottom side, when it came to the details of reality, your vision was blind. You were unable to distinguish your friends from your enemies because all you could see was the color of the cat's skin. It was this blindness that led you to the defense of Adam Clayton Powell, that Jackal from Harlem, when he came under attack by his brother jackals in Congress. And it was this blindness that

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led you to the defense of that black cop in Washington, D. C., who was being (obscene) over by the whites above him in the Police Department for whom he carried his gun as he patrolled the black community. In short, your habit of looking at the world through black-colored glasses would lead you on the domestic level, to close ranks with such enemies of black people as James Farmer, Whitney Young, Roy Wilkins and Ron Karenga; and on the international level you would end up in the same bag with Papa Doc Duvalier, Joseph Mobutu, and Haile Selassie. Yes, we opposed that (obscene) then and we oppose it now even more strongly, especially since the Nixon Administration has stolen your program from you and, I think, included you out.

"And now your going to liberate Africa! Where are you going to start, Ghana? The Congo? Biafra? Angola? Mozambique? South Africa? If you are not aware of it, I think you should know that the brothers in Africa who are involved in armed struggle against the colonialists would like nothing better than for you to pick up your suitcase full of African souvenirs and split back for Babylon. They have never forgiven the fat-mouthing you did in Dar-es-Salaam when you presumed to tell them how to conduct their business. It seems to me that you are now trapped between the extremes of your own rhetoric. On the one hand, you have cut yourself off from the struggle in Babylon, and on the other hand, you are not about to become the Redeemer of Mother Africa.

"The enemies of black people have learned something from history even if you haven't, and they are discovering new ways to unite. One thing they know, and we know, that seems to escape you, is that there is not going to be any revolution or black liberation in the United States as long as revolutionary blacks, whites, and Mexicans, Puerto Ricans, Indians, Chinese, and Eskimos are unwilling to, or unable to unite into some functional machinery that can cope with the situation. Your talk and your fears about premature coalition are absurd, because no coalition against oppression by forces possessing revolutionary integrity can ever be premature. If anything, it is too late, because the forces of counterrevolution are sweeping

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the world, and this is happening precisely because in the past people have been united on a basis that perpetuates disunity among races and ignores basic revolutionary principles and analyses.

"You are peeved because the Black Panther Party informs itself with the revolutionary principles of Marxism-Leninism, but if you look around the world you will see that the only countries which have liberated themselves and managed to withstand the tide of the counterrevolution are precisely those countries that have strong Marxist-Leninist parties. All those countries that have fought for their liberation solely on the basis of nationalism have fallen victims to capitalism and neo-colonialism, and in many cases now find themselves under tyrannies equally as oppressive as the former colonial regimes.

"That you know nothing about the revolutionary process is clear; that you know even less about the United States and its people is clearer; and that you know still less about humanity than you do about the rest is even clearer. You speak about an 'undying love for black people.' An undying love for black people that denies the humanity of other people is doomed. It was an undying love of white people for each other which led them to deny the humanity of colored people and which has stripped white people of humanity itself. It would seem to me that an undying love for our people would, at the very least, lead you to a strategy that would aid our struggle for liberation instead of leading you into a coalition of purpose with the McClellan Committee in its attempt to destroy the Black Panther Party.

"Well, so long, Stokely, and take care. And beware of some white folks and of some black folks, because I assure you that some of both of them have teeth that will bite. Remember what Brother Malcolm said in his Autobiography: 'We had the best organization that the black man has ever had in the United States--and niggers ruined it!' POWER TO THE PEOPLE! ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, Minister of Information Black Panther Party, July, 1969."

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[REDACTED] in a march on July 11, 1970, from 9th and Gwinnett Streets to the County Jail to protest the killing of six blacks during the May 11, 1970, riots. [REDACTED]

On July 11, 1970, [REDACTED] advised that approximately 500 persons attended a meeting of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) at the Tabernacle Baptist Church, Augusta, Georgia, at 8:00 p.m., on July 10, 1970, where ROY WILKINS of the NAACP was the principal speaker. He said this meeting was quiet and orderly with no violence.

[REDACTED] stated that prior to the meeting, WILBERT LEE ALLEN, self-proclaimed local Black Panther Party leader, and about 15 to 20 unidentified individuals, all dressed in khaki shirts with blue jeans and black berets, were lined along the sides of the church in parade rest positions. Immediately before the meeting began, ALLEN and others in uniforms left. Two or three came back inside for the meeting, but ALLEN did not attend.

On July 11, 1970, [REDACTED] advised that on the evening of July 10, 1970, WILBERT ALLEN, along with about 12 members of

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Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 12/22/72

FROM :

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BLACK REBELLIONS IN THE FLEET

Over thirty black seamen faced a variety of charges resulting from clashes aboard two US Navy ships—the aircraft carrier Kitty Hawk and the fleet oiler Massayampa, no whites were charged in either incident.

One account in the straight press claims that the situation on the Kitty Hawk stemmed out of an argument in an enlisted men's club in Subic Bay. On the night of October 11th supposedly there was a fight in a washroom of the club and it spread to the rest of the club involving about 25 black and white sailors, mainly from the Kitty Hawk. The fight was broken up and several blacks were arrested.

Those who were arrested were sent back to the ship and the ship sailed. One of the ship's higher ranking officers called in two of the black sailors who were arrested on shore for questioning. Eleven other black crewmen went along in an expression of solidarity. The two sailors who had been called in and their comrades left the interrogation session upset about being singled out. Later the same officer went outside to talk to the men and tried to calm the men down.

The group of about a dozen then left the mess deck and went to the hangar deck. The black sailors were just standing around talking in groups of threes and twos, however, the Marines guarding the planes on the hangar deck became uptight. The Marines tried to break up the group, which wasn't doing anything, with their guns.

That same night (Oct. 12) through the early morning hours the next day, fights broke out between a little over 100 black and white sailors, among the 4,935 man crew. The brass claimed that the fights which spread to various parts of the ship grew out of an initial fight in a dining hall. The fight left 46 crewmen injured - 40 whites and six blacks. Only 3 men were seriously injured. A large group of both black and white sailors were credited with breaking up the fights.

At least 25 black sailors have already been charged and two more might be. Twenty-one of the men were charged with both rioting and assault, and four were charged with just one of the two counts.

The black sailors on the Kitty Hawk have received support from several black

Some trials are already under way at sea for those sailors who decided to go ahead with them. In brothers could all face special court-martials.

In another incident eleven black sailors were detained and 6 were formally charged for being involved in a clash aboard the fleet oiler Massayampa while it was in Subic Bay. In the incident four white crewmen were slightly injured. Five crewmembers were charged with assault and will receive special court-martials. One sailor was charged with using provoking words and will get a summary.

After these two incidents and others Navy race relations specialists were forced to admit that shipboard tensions have been greatly aggravated on board WestPac ships by the unbearable working and living conditions that crewmen, particularly black crewmen encounter.

So far we have received no word from brothers on either the Kitty Hawk or Massayampa giving their account of what happened.

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The "Stanford Daily", a daily newspaper published by the Associated Students of Stanford University on November 14, 1972, page 3, carried a story entitled, "Black Activist to Speak at Roble Lounge Tonight". The article reported that MUHAMMED AHMED, Chairman of the African Peoples Party, would speak on November 14, 1972, at Roble Hall on the Stanford University campus under the sponsorship of the Black Students Union (BSU).

The article noted that AHMED, 31, studied at Central State University in Ohio, where he formed the Revolutionary Action Movement (RAM), that he thereafter joined the Student Non-violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC), and subsequently worked with STOKELY CARMICHAEL in forming the New York Black Panther Party (BPP). AHMED reportedly was arrested and jailed on charges of advocating criminal anarchy in 1967 in the State of New York, at which time the authorities also brought charges against members of RAM for master-minding a plot to blow up the Statue of Liberty and to assassinate civil rights leaders ROY WILKINS and WHITNEY YOUNG. AHMED reportedly forfeited bail following his arrest and went underground, during which time he continued to write for "Black Scholar", "Vibration" and "Contrast" Magazines. On September 1, 1972, AHMED reportedly was arrested in San Diego during the Congress of African People's (CAP) Conference and he currently faces extradition to New York.

The African Peoples Party (APP) officially announced its existence in July 1971. The APP's 10-point program seeks independence, self-determination, black state power and independent nationhood for "African captives in America." It demands the States of Mississippi, Georgia, South Carolina, Alabama and Louisiana "as partial re-payment for injustices done to us for over 400 years."

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On December 4, 1969, Mr. John Lamer, Public Relations, Boston College, Newton, Massachusetts, advised that the Cultural Committee of the Boston College Student Council would present a program at Roberts Center, Boston College Campus at 7:30 p.m. on December 8, 1969 on the subject "Who Speaks for the Black Community". A panel of four speakers have been engaged consisting of Ralph Abernathy of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC), Roy Innis of Congress of Racial Equality (CORE), Roy Wilkins of the National Association for Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) and David Hilliard of the Black Panther Party (BPP). Mr. Lamer stated this program is one of a series arranged by the Cultural Committee with the approval of the Boston College administration.

RAYMOND HEWITT MASSACHUSETTS

The Boston Herald Traveler, a daily newspaper published in Boston, Massachusetts in its edition of December 9, 1969, carried an article concerning the panel discussion captioned "Black Leaders See New Racial Strife".

The article points out that for the first time the leaders of four nationally prominent black organizations spoke from the same platform before an audience of 2,500 and predicted the intensification of America's racial struggle.

Dr. Abernathy, the first speaker, attacked the war in Vietnam, the government for carrying on a "senseless" war in Vietnam, for ignoring the nation's poor and hungry, and for leading a "campaign of suppression" against the BPP.

A characterization of the BPP is attached hereto.

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Dr. Abernathy stated SCLC is now organizing a counseling service for boys drafted into the Armed Forces saying "it will be a department of peace, to counsel them to say no when they are asked to go 10,000 miles away to fight in that senseless, godless war".

He said the SCLC is still committed to the philosophy of non-violence on which it was based thirteen years ago. It will work with other black organizations toward their common goal--a better life for all black citizens. He pledged his support to the BPP and plans to fly to Chicago this week to "say in person that the United States is seeking to suppress the Panthers and we don't like it. If the nation can get by with suppressing one group, it won't be long before they suppress another".

Roy Innis of CORE charged that there is a national conspiracy against the Panthers and stated this is "the first phase of what might become a genocidal campaign against blacks".

Raymond "Masai" Hewitt, who represented the BPP in place of David Hilliard, equated the black problem in America with genocide. He claimed that black people understand what's happening to them. He claimed that rioting in Los Angeles, Detroit, and other cities was "the most eloquent statement" of the black position.

When the audience applauded Hewitt he said "Don't clap for me unless you'd clap for Huey Newton and Bobby Seale."

"I clap for Weathermen because the Weathermen shot pigs and pigs shoot niggers".

Roy Wilkins of NAACP said that two speakers referred to the United States as "your country", but "I consider it my country and I'm not giving up on it". He feels blacks have struggled too many years for racial equality to turn their backs now or go the way of violence or separatism.

57C, D On December 9, 1969, [REDACTED] stated that he was present at Roberts Center at the panel discussion mentioned above and confirmed in substance the veracity of the newspaper account set out above.

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In the article, NEWTON denounced WILKINS as being an "Uncle Tom." He mentioned WILKINS' economic and social status and stated that WILKINS is not expected to say anything that will really make the "establishment up tight" for fear of losing the status he has gained.

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Report Assails Inquiry on Slaying of Black Panthers

By THOMAS A. JOHNSON

Neither the Federal Government nor the state sought to establish the truth in the killing of two Black Panther party leaders during a raid on a Chicago flat in 1969, the report of a blue ribbon commission contends.

The independent commission was formed by 27 persons in civil rights, law, politics and business after Fred Hampton and Mark Clark were killed and four other persons wounded in a raid by Illinois State's Attorney's police. The current co-chairmen of the group, called the Commission of Inquiry into the Black Panthers and Law Enforcement Officials, are Roy Wilkins, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and Ramsey Clark, former United States Attorney General.

According to the commission report, Mr. Hampton "was shot from the doorway to his bedroom as lay drugged and defenseless in bed."

Written nine months ago, the document was reportedly the source of much wrangling between commission staff members and some of the 28 prominent citizens who agreed to make the investigation.

Staff sources said that some commission members wanted the document toned down.

The report said that an atmosphere of suspicion and mistrust existed at the time of the raid. It said: "This commission found the situation had grown so critical by the time of the Hampton-Clark incident that many ghetto inhabitants no longer looked to the police for assistance in even the most harrowing of circumstances, for fear of risking personal abuse at the hands of the police."

'Virtual Warfare' Found

It said that "virtual warfare" had existed between the police and the community.

Commenting on the raid, the report said: "The indication is that the raid, contrary to its stated objectives [to obtain Panther weapons], was conceived and planned as a search and destroy mission aimed at the leaders of the Illinois chapter of the Black Panther party."

"Only one shot was fired by the occupants of the Panther apartment during the entire course of the raid," the report added, explaining that Mr.

Clark, had fired a shotgun blast through a door.

According to the report, the police fired the first shot during the raid. "Police fired through walls and doorways into darkened rooms," the report says. "There was no resistance to their gunfire. Occupants tried to hide from the

bullets fired into their room, and cried out for police to stop, but the shooting continued. Fred Hampton was killed in his bed, and police kept firing."

Before he was killed, the report continues. Mr. Hampton "could not be roused by any of the three persons who tried to wake him." It says that traces of secobarbital, a sleep-inducing, nonaddictive drug were found in his body, "possibly in a lethal concentration."

It also says that a unnamed black informer had "successfully infiltrated the apartment and the Panther circle," and that "the Federal grand jury undertook not to investigate, but to rebut, this evidence."

County Jury Also Scored

"This commission is compelled to observe that the Federal grand jury failed to discharge its legal function and obligations fairly and fully," the report said. It was likewise critical of the county grand jury.

"It is the judgment of this commission that the raid was not planned nor executed in compliance with the Fourth Amendment guarantees against unreasonable search and seizures," the document said, continuing:

"The conception and planning of the raid, the sequence of events inside the apartment, the volume of police gunfire, and the toll of deaths and injuries do not particularly lend themselves to the characterization of these events as a 'police-Panther shoot-out'; they could equally well lead to characterizations of events as slaughter, and summary execution."

The pre-dawn raid was conducted Dec. 4, 1969, on the Panthers' west side Chicago headquarters.

During subsequent months, the Cook County State's Attorney, Edward V. Hanrahan, and 13 other persons were indicted for conspiracy to obstruct justice in this case. Mr. Hanrahan is seeking re-nomination in the primary elections next Tuesday.

The commission report, in three large, mimeographed documents, reportedly was sent to commission members on March 25, 1971, by Herbert O. Reid, a professor from Howard University who served as staff director.

Mr. Reid was said to have tried unsuccessfully to get commission members to release the documents for publication since that time. The New York Times has acquired copies.

A rewrite of the original staff report was done some months ago, but this did not satisfy commission members. Angered by the delay in

publication of the report, Mr. Reid, the law professor, who is black and an expert on constitutional law, sent a memorandum to the commission last October 1 that read in part:

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